### ARMISTICE HALTED DRASTIC DRAFT ACT

Crowder's Report Reveals Government Aimed to Seize All Workers.

HAD "FURLOUGH" SYSTEM

#### 24,000,000 Enrolled, 4,791,-172 Taken Into Army, 74 in Each 100 Deferred.

WARRINGTON, Feb. 5 .- While the sec end and probably the final annual report he selective service system, prepared by Major-Gen. Enoch H. Crowder, Provest Marshal General, and made public to-day, contained only one specific recemmendation-that the draft machinery be used to take the decennial censusthe 600 page document gave the first inkling of drastic extensions of the work er fight regulations which had been planned just before hostilities ended.

The report showed that specific plans were before Secretary Baker last November under which a minimum workng week for the essential industries ild have been fixed in order that "in-trial slockers" might be reached, and hat plans were shaping for the mandadeferment of registrants in essenital industry, denying them the right of inilitary service. A scheme for supervising labor distribution through an inrial furlough system also was being As to the accomplishments of the se-

lective system, credit for which was given to the patriotic devotion of "thou-ands upon thousands" of American men

the drama of the world war histor,

#### 24,000,000 Enrolled.

To enroll for service over 24,000,000 mobilize a select army of more 2,800,000, a million of them within the space of ninety days; to have presavailable for military duty 2,000 ently available for mintary day

000 additional fighting men; to classify
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the evils of competitive warfare berial life of the nation; to speed up war line activities, to maintain them in a did not the actual facts stand as

hereafter be taken through the selective service machinery, Gen. Crowder said the feasibility of many theories divershould be projected after the war was tical and added that since 12,000,000 800,000 in four days, including a com-plete survey and classification of their omestic and industrial status, the ceninstead of months, as is now the case.

#### What They Had in View. The draft regulations toward which

latory industrial deferment because "we sands of menhad almost reached the time when would have been necessary to make as impossible for the men deferred for

November 11, 1918, the report

9 per cent, of the male population. the same day England had already ed to the colors 5,854,359, or nearly

Heavy Disqualifications.

The final official total for all registrations was 24,234,021. Of these 5,208,446 to all been actually examined, and practically thirty men out of every one hundred were found to be physically disqualified. Oklahoma and Arkansas required the highest ratio of men under the physical requirements, Rhode Island and Arkansa the lowest.

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#### Industry Lightly Hit.

## Senator Weeks Renews Fight on John Skelton Williams.

(Mass.) introduced to-day in the Senat; a bill to abolish the office of the Comp-troller of the Currency, with provision that the functions and machinery of that office be transferred to the Federal Reserve Board.

that office be transferred to the Federal Reserve Board.

This action is secondary to the fight the Massachusetts Senator is leading against the confirmation of John Skelton Williams for a second five year term as Comptroller. The Weeks bill provides. Be is enacted by the Senate and

House of Representatives, that the office of Comptroller of the Currency is hereby abolished and all duties, powers, authority and jurisdiction, whether supervisory or otherwise, now imposed or conferred upon the office of the Comptroller of the Currency by acts of Congress are hereby transferred to and imposed and con-ferred upon the Federal Reserve

Section 2. That all clerks and employees now employed in ar by the office of the Comptroller of the Curare each and all hereby transferred to said Federal Reserve Board

at theirpresent grades and salaries. Section 3. That the library, furniture, fixtures, records, seal and other property pertaining to the office of the Comptroller of the Currency are each and all hereby transferred to sald Federal Reserve Board. Section 4. That all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are so far as inconsistent hereby repealed.

The Committee on Banking and Curre my will meet to-marrow to consider the reappointment of Mr. Williams. It is not anticipated that immediate action can be had on the nomination, and fur-thermore Senator Weeks has asked to be heard by the committee in opposition to the confirmation.

## sands upon thousands" of American men BAKER AND DANIELS and women who aided, Gen. Crowder "We are too close upon the events accurately to assess them. How great a part American selective service played

#### Competitive Warfare Between Rails and Waterways Denounced by Them.

time activities, to maintain them in a velopments of the nation's inland wat-status of maximum efficient production erways and its harbors and their full and to pave the way for a speedy re-jurn to normal peace time pursuits while re-ruiting the full fighting strength of the nation—these are results which the opening session of the National would be instantly rejected as impos- Rivers and Harbors Congress. Optithe did not the actual facts stand as mism concerning economic readjust-refutable testimonials of their ac cm- ments also was sounded by most of the

the fear of Bolshevism in this country, the naval Secretary saying there "is no more danger of Bolshevism taking bold in America than there is of the Kaiser entering the streets of Wash-

provement of rivers and harbors would be a material factor in increasing for-eign commerce for which ships now were being built. The waterway im-The draft regulations when the provening to the provening to the said, also would furnish useful and profitable would for thought to thousand the said, included the man-

#### Inthinkable Thing.

Conservation of labor already en-ged in essential industries would have it the nation was not prenated for an

dustrial draft the equally necessary country, the chambers of industry, the ugmentation of labor had to be solved tions of manufacturers, everybody in It was here that extension of the work or fight principle and of the industrial furlough would have been inbroked. The shifting of labor in the
broke down under their increased.

#### Tremblers Are Rebuked. Secretary Daniels rebuked those "who

November 11, 1918, the report tremble at the spectre of industrial depression and Bolshevism," declaring the report of the male propulation that "the man who bets on American depression and Bolshevism." declaring that "the man who bets on American prosperity is always going to win." He urged spending the jublic money for public improvements as contributing to the nation's prosperity, and warned against the expectation of the return of wages and prices to pre-war stand-

Alan R, Hawley of New York, president of the Aero Club of America; H. S. Noble of New York, M. J. Sanders of the aero fight' order bore out the redictions made by its originators.

It is helieved, the report said, "to be conservative estimate that the work or fight rules have resulted in the movement of at least 137,255 men to productive occupation."

Only 10 per cent. of the married registrants were called for military into Seventy-four of every 100 men assified were granted deferment because of dependency and about 16 per

### NORWEGIAN CABINET QUITS.

Knudsen Ministry Out After

Stormy Career-Post to Bryn. CHRISTIANIA, Feb. 5.—The Norwegian Cabinet, headed by Gunnar Knudsen, has resigned. The reason given is that The effect of the draft upon the infairful machinery of the nation was
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The Norwegian Cabinet headed by Gunnar Knudsen was formed January 29, 1913. It had a rather stormy total, nervous and mental disorders for part changed since its formation. The Cabinet weathered a severe storm in Noering 20, 000 persons were composition to the draft operating personnel. Nowember, 1917, when a resolution designed to force its resignation was brought before the Norwegian Parliament. It charged blunders in handling the food situation and failure to yield to the request of the United States to passed and \$227.71 a man under the system was defeated, but opposition to the Cabinet continued.

Washington, will be named Foreign men will be tried before a special court martial. Property of the members of the Union and Progress party has been selzed.

And the children will say:

"When Daddy was in the army."

PIRIE Mac DO NATION PRINTED.

# SOUNDED IN JULY

Then, War Department Figures Show.

ENEMY'S RESERVES GONE GILLETT IS IN THE LEAD

Had 1,339,000 Line Troops Chairmanship of Ways and Sept. 1, With 1,682,000 Troops Opposing.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5 .- The story of lermany's supreme effort for military ictory in the spring of 1918, of Ameri-German forces on the western front in monthly periods from April 1 to November 1, and were prepared by the intelligence division of the General Staff of rected by Francis J. Hency befor the American army in France. By rifle Senate Committee on Agriculture. strength was meant the "number of men

last spring it had a million and a haif men so classified against an allied total of a million and a quarter. By June 1 the Germans reached their peak with 4,633,000 rifles, but despite the terrific pressure they were exerting against the allied lines American aid was overcom-ing the handless and made reaching the ing the handicap and made possible the counter blow delivered in July.

#### Allies Superior by July.

October the American strength had risen to an estimated force of \$50,000. On September I the allied line was at its greatest strength, with 1,682,000 against Germany's 1,339,000.

While the Allies had shrunk in rifles

to 1.485,000 on November 1 Germany's last hope was gone as she faced that army with only \$66,000 bayonets.

#### Exhausted Reserves in Summer. The audden decline of the German

forces beginning in June and again ap-

# SAY OHIO SOLDIERS

letter he had received from Homes E. Black of Canton, reciting complaints re-ceived from Ohio soldiers in the 322d Black of Canton, reciting complaints received from Ohlo soldiers in the 332d
Infantry, stationed at Cattaro, Dalmatia,
of drunkenness among commissioned offivers, insufficient food, poor ciothing and
lack of pay Mr. McCulloch said he tad
intended to fall the matter to the attention of the House, but would not introduce a resolution for an investigation
because similar measures were not beWhen Representative Course W. Tel-

Secretary Daniels said the railroads distrial furlough would have been included. The shifting of labor in the shifting of labor in the scenarial industries would have been incorped by calling men into the military service and furloughing them only for he time they engaged in a particular hidustry.

Another element of the plan was similar worked at "industrial slackers," men who worked a day or two at war wages only "lay off" succeeding days. The minimum working week of eight hours aloy the report showed, would have been carled the war, and the furloughs of men who failed to give that week's work without.

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Italian armies look upon them with dis-revenue and tariff problems incident to gust."

### LESS ILLNESS IN ARMY ABROAD.

Net Decrease of 97,486 in Sick and Wounded Reported. WASHINGTON, Feb. 5 .- Hospital re-

ports from the Expeditionary Forces show there were 9,962 sick and wounded among the American soldiers on January This was a net decrease of 97,486 from the total on December 13.

The total for January comprised 67.290 soldiers incapacitated as a result of disease and 28,669 from injuries.

#### MORE REBEL TURKS SEIZED. Leaders of New Party Will Be

Tried by Court Martial. WASHINGTON, Feb. 5 .- Further arrests been made in Constantinople of

leading members of the Turkish party of Union and Progress. Reports to the State Department to-day said the au-State Department to-day said the authorities had-taken into custedy Halil.

uncle of former Minister of War Enver
Pasha; Gen. Vehi Pasha, Mahmoud

Kismil former Links Research and the rest for salaries and other expenses. Kiamil, former Under Secretary of War. and a former chief of the Turkish Mili-tary Intelligence Bureau. The Turkish Government was said to

have explained that the arrests were made in order to prevent disorders and Bolshevik disturbances. The arrested men will be tried before a special court martial. Property of the members of the Union and Progress party has been

# HOUSE ON FEB. 27 State Conciliation Board Of-

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5,-Senator Weeks Allies Assumed Superiority Leaders Feel Mann Faces Certain Defeat as Result of Beefsteak.

Means Committee Is Big Issue Before Party.

Special Despatch to Tax Bux. WASHINGTON, Feb. 5 .- For the first time in ten years the Republican party can intervention and of the ultimate will set about the politically delectable crushing defeat of the enemy and the task of organizing the House on Febapparent annihilation of nearly one-half ruary 27. A merry battle is promised, of his fighting force was graphically with the dwindling forces behind the told in figures made public to-day by the Speakership candidacy of James Mann War Department. They dealt with the (III.) striving frantically to shake off "rifle strength" of the Allies and the the burden of one horse and a three Jerman forces on the western front in pound beefsteak received from Swift & Co. some years back, and recently resur-

A party conference late this afternoon adopted a resolution naming February When Germany struck its great blow 27 as the date for determining the Speakership, patronage and other questions. The resolution was offered by Mr. Mann and adopted with little discussion. It reads:

"Resolved. That the Republican members elect of the House in the Six-ty-sixth Congress meet on February 27 at 8 o'clock P. M. for organization purposes and that the chairman and

The allied strength on June 1 was 1.495,000. Shortly afterward the Allies reached a total of 1.547,000. composed of 768,000 French. 515,000 British and 264,000 American. On July 1 Germany's power had begun to wane and for the first time it was definitely inferior in rifle strength, with 1.412,000, compared to 1.556,000 for the Allies.

Up to September 1 the allied strength continued to gain despite the desperate counter attack which was being driven are now inextricably tied up with the counter attack which was being driven are now inextricably tied up with the forward all along the line. In mid- speakership fight.

#### The first involves replacing Mr. Mann

ship or not, while the second involves a determined effort to displace Repre-sentative Fordney (Mich.), the present ranking Republican on the Ways and mittee

Representative McFadden, secretary of the Pennsylvania delegation, called a meeting of the Pennsylvania members to-day to sound Speakership sentiment. Indersing the purposes of the congress spring every available reserve, expecting the properties machinery, Gen. Crowder said a feasibility of many theories diverging from the pre-war conception of large and properties as prevented full use of the waterways for transportation in the past and both as prevented full use of the waterways and be projected after the war was matter of vital national importance. The connection they discounted the fear of Bolshevism in this country, it is gald, however, he believed the manual Secretary saying there "is and added the waterways and added the waterways and added the waterways are allowed to smash her way to victory before winders war the German attack on the allied assaults which followed, while the American rife is an order continued to increase. In a rough way the American rife strength has represented about 20 per support that the provided in the present contest between Representatives and Gillett (Mass.), and while the tendency is strongly in favor of the latter permanents and Gillett (Mass.), and while the tendency is strongly in favor of the latter permanents and Gillett (Mass.), and while the tendency is strongly in favor of the latter permanents and Gillett (Mass.), and while the tendency is strongly in favor of the latter permanents and Gillett (Mass.), and while the tendency is strongly in favor of the latter permanents and Gillett (Mass.) and Gillett (Ma parent in the swift drop during Octo-The Pennsylvania delegation feels that ber was accounted for by the fact that its yote will be pivotal in the present she had drawn into the lines during the contest between Representatives Mann

Kaiser entering the streets of Washington."

Secretary Baker, in discussing the felation of waterways to the war and to the financial burder put on the financial burder put on the financial burder put on the marging for the financial burder provement of rivers and harbors would be a material factor in increasing for the streets of Washington with the anti-Mann resolution and this in connections. The streets of Washington was shown in staff readout to be discharged.

A circular containing these instructions made public to-day pointed out that announce support of Mr. Moore (Pa.) was withdrawn at the latter is a formed without action. Failure to said chairman forms, of the world by the war, said improvement of rivers and harbors would be personal appearance.

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as impossible for the men deferred for industrial reasons to obtain military service as it had been for the registrants in Class 1 to avoid it."

He declared it to be "an unthinhable thing that any soldier who put on the uniform of his country and either fought plain of Neglect,

Troops Sent to Dalmatia Comnated in the middle West among influences hostile to Mann, but unwilling to support Mr. Gillett without some as-Washington, Feb. 5.—Representative surance as to the organization of the McCulroch (Ohio) made public to-day a House under him.

#### Chance for Combination.

complained also that they have received for thought in connection with the important control of their clothing until it will hardly have the formulation of their clothing until it will hardly have been connected their clothing until it will hardly have taken ticularly as business interests have taken

revenue and tariff problems incident to reconstruction legislation, take the position that the most competent safeguard rgainst bad conference agreements, similar to the Payne-Aldrich bill as finally approved, lies in an intelligent membership of the committee.

If the present division of strength be-

tween majority and minority continues in the next Congress the Republicans must name eight and possibly blue new numbers on the committee. The four holonyers in order or seniority are Rep-resentatives Fordney (Mich). Moore (Pa.), Green (Iows) and Longworth (Ohio), all virtually without extensive

#### ASKS WAR RISK FUND. Secretary Glass Calls for \$9,220, 000 Appropriation.

Washington, Feb. 5.—Congress was asked by Secretary Glass to-day to make a deficiency appropriation of \$9,220,606

Attention was called to the increased work and expense due to the rapid dis-charge of men from the service.

### Get a Moore-Made Shoe

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# BILL WOULD ABOLISH DOOM OF GERMANY G. O. P. TO ORGANIZE MORE MILLS CLOSED SIGHTLESS TROOPS

Lawrence, Mass., Feb. 5.—Additional committee of the Council of mills in this city were shut down to-day in connection with the strike of textile workers for a forty-eight hour week with fifty-four hours pay. The Pemberton mills, employing 1,200 operatives, were closed for an indefinite period. The Lawrence Duck Company's plant, employing 3,500, was shut down until next Monday, and the print works of the Pacific mills were not operated because of insufficient help.

The State Board of Conciliation and Many Occupations Open to discriminating against him and threat.

A special committee of the Council of Farms and Markets, appointed to investigate all phases of the milk question. Benefits, Says Sir Arthur

Pearson.

A special committee of the Council of Farms and Markets, appointed to investigate all phases of the milk question, listened yesterday to the testimony of William A. Levy, secretary and general manager of the Levy bairy Company. Levy was called as a witness because at the John Doe milk inquiry, which is being conducted by John T. Dooling, assistant district attorney, he charged Dr. Eugene H. Porter, state commissioner of foods and markets, with discriminating against him and threat. tile workers for a forty-eight hour week with fifty-four hours pay. The Pemberton mills, employing 1,200 operatives, were closed for an indefinite period. The ploying 3,600, was shut down until next Monday, and the print works of the Pacific mills were not operated because

of insufficient help.

The State Board of Conciliation and Arbitration offered its services to the strikers to-day in an effort to bring about a settlement. The workers agreed to select a committee composed of one delegate from each nationality to confer to the committee composed of one delegate from each nationality to confer to the committee composed of one delegate from each nationality to confer to the committee composed of one delegate from each nationality to confer to the committee of foods and markets, with discriminating against him and threatening to drive him out of business.

Levy told Dr. Jonathan C. Day, Commissioner of Public Markets, and Datus Clark, the only members of the commissioner of coordinating against him and threatening to drive him out of business. delegate from each nationality to confer the State board. Strike leader ever, that they would make no compro-

### GASLESS SUNDAYS SAVED FOCH'S PLANS

Marshal Warned Whole Campaign Was in Peril.

Special Lesputch to Tax St. been kept up at the rate made possible whole plan of campaign which forced Germany to her knees and brought about her defeat would have had to have been changed and might have been lost. This

Fewer than two months before the armistice was signed the situation "hung in the balance" it was declared. Had not American use of gasolene been materially held down and the high rate of deliveries maintained it would have bee impossible to roll back the powerful Ger impossible to roll back the powerful German armies and break the back of Germany's military strength. About this time the situation was shown in this graduates has demonstrated, asserted many's military strength. About this time the situation was shown in this blunt cable from Marshal Foch:

plemented with this message: "Senator Berenger writes highest mmand informs me that position has come so serious that change in military operations will have to be contemplated unless deliveries gasolene at

There was no lack of appreciation of America's effort in this critical situation, it was pointed out to-day. The Earl of Curzon pointed out in a statement on November 21 that 50 per cent of the allied petroleum requirements were furnished by the United States.

The Earl of the dark," he said. "I can imagine exactly how this audience allied petroleum requirements were furnished by the United States.

The told of visiting the battle front gration for four years, Frank Morrison. He told of visiting the battle front secretary of the American Federation of Labor, said that 500,000 mer. In the

# March Halts Purchases by vien

of all army camps and posts have been instructed by Gep. March to prevent the sale or delivery of uniforms by civilian tailors to officers and men of the army

City in Darkness and Thea-

Restaurants, cafes and public houses of all kinds must close at 9:30 P. M. theatres and "movies" at 10. Matines performances are barred altogether, and on one day in the week there must be no performance afternoon or evening.

The last transway car must leave the The last tramway car must leave the centre of Berlin not later than 19:45 P. M. No gas may be burned between 8:30 and 11 A. M. or between 2 and 5:30

P. M. The newspapers are making fran-tic appeals to the Government to rescue Berlin by increasing the city's coal sup-

#### INFLUENZA CASES INCREASE. Deaths From Grip and Pneumonia

Influenza and pneumonia cases re-ported to the Health Department for the twenty-four hour period ended yesterday again show a gain following yesterday again show a gain following the following off.

days of marked falling off. from the two diseases, however, decreased somewhat. The influenza cases numbered 336 as compared with 225 the day before.

Pneumonia cases totalled 123 as against 101 in the previous day's report. There were 64 deaths from influenza, 22 less than Tuesday. Pneumonia deaths numbered 79, a decrease of 27, Following is the report on new cases. by boroughs.

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bcoklet, "Your Liberty Bond." has been in such demand that we have reprinted it. It is a standard Liberty

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# TO AID BLIND HERE Milk Committee Hears of Al-

American soldiers blinded in the war partment against the Levy Company are destined to prove the greatest all. The doctor advised him to give a \$100. that the sightless civilian population of eno bond, he said, but he couldn't get James Larkin, the Sinn Fein leader who has been in this country for some time. conferred to-day with Ike Kaplan, secretary of the general committee. Later it was announced that he would address several meetings here next week. Municipal authorities have refused permission for a parade.

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army officer in charge of the training of was asked. army officer in charge of the dather than the assistant district attorney himself in sightless civilians as well, and that he expected greater opportunities that he expected greater opportunities. than ever before would be opened to up by Perter or anybody else. WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Had not Americ them as a result. Col Bordley already an shipments of gasolene to France has listed 462 occupations open to blind dealers, 52 dealers had received licenses, over kept up at the rate made possible by the restrictions placed on domestic lise here including "gasless Sundays" the country is being conducted by experts 12 were exempted. under his supervision. Statistics will be gathered to aid other disabled classes as well, and everything possible will be done to enable them to find well paid was revealed to-day by the Fuel Ad-ministration in making public official and useful employment, Sir Arthur pre-documents in its possession.

#### Care of Blind Criticised.

"I don't think the United States has any reason to feel proud of what done for the blind thus far," sa day, thus ending a suit begun several weeks ago by L'Hommedieu's sister, Mrs. Susia D. Hendrickson, of James-They are not nearly as well looked after on the whole as are the blind port, L. I.

Sir Arthur, that sightless men need not hearing evidence on the case. Francis H. Reeves, a ranchman of Calgary, and "If you don't keep up your petroleum depend upon the work of their hands alone but that they should enter occupations where brains are required. He believed he said, that sightless per sons should rid themselves of the idea that they cannot see. He explained that withdraw the suit, but that she had been they could visualize scenes perfeche same manner that an ordinary per 500,000 IDLE, SAYS LABOR MAN. front are made possible."

There was no lack of appreciation of iccalities once visited merely by closing the eyes.

About to Be Discharged.

Washington, Feb. 5.—Commandants of the soldiers who had been at the National State of the soldiers who had been at the National State of the soldiers who had been at the National State of the soldiers who had been and structed by Gen. March to prevent the last of what he had seen and they declared his description perfect.

"Blind persons should be especially December 31 next. No action was taken or it is awfully easy for them to
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FROM LACK OF COAL

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City in Darkness and Theatree tree Restricted.

Special Cable Despatch to The Scale of Fernand London, Feb. 5.— The colliers strikes are caused great hardships in Berlin.

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SOLDIER HELD COMPETENT.

Court Rules.

county court at Long Island City yester

Since last Monday the jury has been

L'Hommedleu recently became 21.

C. A. Staples of the Canadlan testified in L. Hommedieu's behalf.

**NAVY DISCHARGES** 

Men With Families and Those Wishing to Finish Studies Come First.

Clark, the only members of the com-mittee of four present, that Dr. Porter had refused to let him see the com-Special Despatch to The St. WASHINGTON, Feb. 5,-Release from active service of 40 per cent, of naval reserves, 40 per cent, of men who enlisted for the war only and 20 per centof four year enlistments subsequent to the entry of the United States into the war has been ordered by the Navy Department, according to a letter to Chair man Padgett of the Naval Affairs Committee from Rear Admiral Victor Bius. him because he sold milk cheaper than chief of the bureau of navigation.

In addition the release has been or dered of all reserves and all men who enliated for the war only now in training and 20,000 additional from these classifications who are now engaged on shore duties. The letter follows:

"The Department has up to date & rected the release of 40 per cent, of the reserves, 40 per cent, of the men who enlisted for the war only and 10 per cent of the regular four year men who enlisted since the beginning of the war. In making these releases commanding Canadian Able to Manage Estate, officers of ships and stations were directed to give preference first to men who have families dependent upon them, Roswell H. L'Hommedieu, a young who have families dependent upon them, canadian soldier now on duty with a medical unit at Calgary, Alberta, was adjudged competent to manage his estate of \$60,000 by a jury in Queens

Decision by Lot.

"In case of there being more applicants demobilization must be handled by the commanding officers on general orders from the bureau, as it would be impossible for the bureau to handle the in-Major C. A. Staples of the Canadian army, testified in L. Hommedieu's behalf.

Mrs. Hendrickson said she wished to out during the last few days to release withdraw the suit but that she had been

all the Naval Reserve men and men enlisted for the war only who are now undergoing training at the training stations and at trade schools if We have also ordered the release of 20,000 men of the Naval Reserves and

men enlisted for the war who are per

can visualize perfectly."

He told of visiting the battle front lin France eighteen months ago as the guest of the commanding Generals of two of the British armies. When he returned to St. Dunstan's he told some of the soldiers who had been at the Daniel. ber of cargo ships belonging to the Ship-ping Board are also being manned

#### Provision Is Necessary.

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